

Pallbearers

*Malachi Flowers, Sa'Kari Housey, Jerard Mikell,
Trencey Spencer, Deondre Taylor, Icarus Williams*

Floral Attendants

Family & Friends

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

As we gather today to honor and remember our beloved Ke 'Aniya, we extend our deepest gratitude for your presence and support. Your comforting words, warm embraces, and shared memories have brought us solace during this difficult time. Your unwavering support is a testament to the love Ke 'Aniya brought into our lives, and we are profoundly touched by your kindness and compassion.

Your love and support have helped us to find moments of peace and comfort amidst our grief. Thank you for honoring the memory of our beloved Ke 'Aniya with us today. Your presence means more to us than words can express, and we are truly blessed to have you in our lives.

The Eady Family



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Service OF Love

Le'Aniya
TYASIAN THOMAS

SUNRISE
September 30, 2008

SUNSET
April 6, 2025

~ Celebration ~
Saturday, April 19, 2025 — 12 Noon

~ Held At ~
Miller Swamp Missionary Baptist Church
204 State Rd S-3-395, Fairfax, SC 29827

~ Officiates ~
*Pastor Angelon Brooks Sr.; Pastor, Pastor Marvin Love; Presiding
Pastor Phyllis Eady – Spencer; Eulogist*



Order of Service

Musical Prelude Soft Music

Processional Clergy, Family, Friends

Opening Selection Family

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament Pastor Marvin Love (*Cousin*)

New Testament James Eady, Jr. (*Uncle*)

Prayer of Comfort Pastor Marvin Love

Selection “Going Up Yonder” Connie Eady–Jackson (*Aunt*)

Remembering Our Beloved Ke ‘Aniya:

As I Knew Her..... Ruth Ann Frazier (*Grand–Aunt*)

Family Tribute Poem

Written by: Acavedeus Brown

Read by: LaVarne Eady–Mikell (*Aunt*)

Selection “ Let Go Let God” Acavedeus Brown (*Brother*)

Acknowledgements M.F. Riley’s Staff

Church Resolution Whitney Stephens (*Cousin*)

Selection “God Got It” Pastor Phyllis Eady–Spencer (*Aunt*)

Words of Comfort Pastor Phyllis Eady–Spencer (*Aunt*)

Final Farewell M.F. Riley’s Staff

Benediction

Recessional

Postlude

Memorial Repository

Miller Swamp Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery

Committal ~ Prayer ~ Benediction



Angel in Me

*As you look around, reflect, and take heed
You might think with regret that we failed to succeed
I want you to know that is not true,
it can't be Because you now have an angel in me*

*You made my life beautiful and so full of love
My heart is now full and I fly like a dove
We won; it was a team victory And now you have an angel in me*

*I don't feel cheated or that my time was cut short
I lived, I loved, and had so much support
As you face each day please know and believe
That now you have an angel in me*

*Take risks, have fun, and reach for your dreams Don't worry about falling or
scraping your knees My hands, though invisible, will catch you if need
Because now you have an angel in me*

*There can be so much to life to learn and discover Find magic, make waves,
and inspire one another I'll guard you, I'll protect you, and I'll never flee
Because now you have an angel in me*

*Make each day an adventure to learn something new
I'm watching, I'm here, I'm always with you My wings are spread wide and
I'm here to oversee
Always know you have an angel in me*

*Go forth in your life and live without fear
I promise to sprinkle in things to remind you I'm here I hope they will bring
laughs, smiles, and bravery
Because now you have an angel in me*

*One last thing you can do for my sweet family
Is write them a letter sharing a fond memory
It will serve as a reminder and help them to see
They will forever have an angel in me*

16 YEARS (THE STORY)

BY: ACAVEDEUS

I'm going to tell you a story.....

*16 years ago
God gave an angel
To a mother and her sons
From heavens glorious table*

*Because he heard that mothers cry
When her mother flew back home
And he saw that mother faint
When her father too left her all alone*

*She thought...how can I make it
Lord what now will I do
With both my parents gone
And my heart, left feeling empty and
abandoned...shadowed in
by the deepest / darkest shades of blue*

*Well - God heard that mother call...although she
thought He didn't
And assigned one of his angels
And God's angel
sure enough to the earth descended*

*In September That mother..She bore a baby girl
Named Ke'Aniya
clothe with gods blessing from birth
And spiritual attire*

*For it was - Garments from above
None like no other
He sent forth his assignment
And as for siblings, give the angel
(3 older brothers)*

*Now listen I tell you , This angel in which I speak
Had a task from the start
She give that mother love
That replenished that mothers once broken heart*

*As for Her brothers she taught them
Things only she could teach
Because god equipped her with kindness
And a gentle oversight and outreach*

*Her sound , but a voice within in the night
That would pray against the dark
And a faith with the strength
Even in the driest hour
to go forth and build an ark*

*As the story progressed
A husband, like a flower
equivalent to the white rose, was plucked
And placed in the vase beside the single mother
With a strength that was needed to build that
family together, to build that family up*

*Now...A step-father and mother
a daughter and sons
The angel task was near completed
And a transition had unknowingly already begun*

*The little angel - she was indeed special
Although some mornings
it seemed she never knew
Until that faithful morning , a pansy flower
drifted down from the gardens of heaven
It was then that she spread her wings
and that little angel flew*

*So I say unto that ...
little September angel from the sky
That forgot in April she would take off , spread
her wings , like a beautiful butterfly 🦋 and fly*

*Fly away little sister
Go far , and go high
Fly away our angel
To be greeted in the heavens
For you've received your invitation to the skies*

*I sing ...Fly away our niya
And Tell the family up there we all said hi
But Don't build on my plot in heaven
For this is surely a ...see ya later...for we never
believed in saying the word Goodbye*



Ke'Aniya's Life's Profile

"Let not your heart be troubled, ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions if it were not so I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And I go and prepare a place for you I will come again and receive you unto myself: there – where I am, there ye may be also."

John 14: 1 -3

Ke'Aniya Tyasian Thomas was born September 30, 2008 in Columbia, South Carolina to Kimberly Maxine Eady – Capers and Tyrone Thomas.

At an early age, she sought God's direction and worshipped at Greater Faith Temple C.O.G.I.C. in Fairfax, SC, under the leadership of Elder Paul Johnson.

Ke'Aniya was a native of Columbia, SC and she later moved to Aiken County with her family. She attended Kennedy Middle School and she became a proud cadet of the JROTC Program. In 2023, she graduated from Kennedy Middle School.

Ke'Aniya was a sophomore at Aiken High School who excelled in her studies. She was currently enrolled in the culinary arts program.

"Niya," as she was affectionately called, was a very spiritual teenager who believed in the "power of prayer." She expressed daily, "Don't forget to pray!" She enjoyed traveling, shopping, and cooking with her family, alongside expressing her desire to become a chef. "Niya" was a devoted daughter, sister, and loyal to her special friend, and she will forever be remembered for the love she had for her family.

Our loved one has been taken, but God has gained another angel. On Sunday, April 6, 2025, Ke'Aniya was called home to be with the Lord in the comfort of her home.

As she begins her new journey of life, she will be greeted with love by her loving Maternal Grandparents: James Eady, Sr., and Hattie Mae Eady; Paternal Step – Grandmother: Lillie Mae Capers.

Her presence shall always be remembered by: Her loving parents: Kimberly Eady – Capers and Step – father: Frank Capers; of the home; (3) Loving Brothers: MarQuis Williams; Columbia, SC; Acavedeus Brown; of the home; MarQuivedeus Brown; Aiken, SC; (3) Step – Sisters: TyJae Carbo; Charleston, SC; Naomi Frazier; Cayce, SC; Amanda Graham; Savannah, GA Special Friend: Iasiah Brantley; Aiken, SC; Father: Tyrone Thomas; Charleston, SC; Paternal Grandparents: Yvonne(Frank) Aiken; Charleston, SC; (3) Loving Aunts: Pastor Phyllis Eady – Spencer; Connie (Larry) Jackson; all of Columbia, SC; LaVerne (Clifton) Mikell; New Ellenton, SC; (1) Loving Uncle: James (Tomeka) Eady, Jr.; Sumter, SC; (3) Grand Aunts: Louella(Clarence) Housey; Rincon, GA; Emma Jean (James) Ginn; and Ruth Ann (Gerald) Frazier; all of Fairfax, SC; Devoted Cousin: Isaac Sharpe; Columbia, SC. A host of loving cousins, other relatives, and sympathizing friends.



